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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for United States Patent US 7,526,998 B2 issued May 5, 2009. Upon reviewing the patent, the following errors were noted and should be corrected as follows:

In the CLAIMS:

Claim 4, column 29, lines 37 and 45, delete "pat;" and insert --part;--.

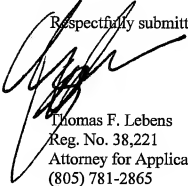
Claim 4, column 29, line 51, delete "target;and" and insert --target; and--.

The Certificate of Correction sets forth these corrections.

Remarks

A review of these documents confirms that the errors were made in the printing of the patent. For the corrections to Claim 4, please see Exhibit "A", which is a copy of page 3 of Amendment J filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 8, 2008, and refer to Claim 60, lines 4, 9 and 15.

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Claim 57 (previously presented): The projectile system of claim 56, wherein the first part comprising a fill hole cooperated with the volume and a lid secured within the fill hole sealing the fill hole.

Claim 58 (previously presented): The projectile system of claim 57, wherein the body portion comprises weakening features to aid in the rupture of the body.

Claim 59 (cancelled)

Claim 60 (currently amended): ~~The projectile system of claim 13~~ A projectile system for use in delivering a substance to a target, comprising:

a projectile comprising:

a first part;

a second part that is at least partially hollow, wherein the second part is secured with the first part to seal the hollow portion defining a volume, wherein the projectile is non-spherical;

an inhibiting substance contained within the volume; and

stabilizing fins secured with the second part along an exterior of the second part;
and

a propulsion block positioned proximate to the stabilizing fins and configured to maintain substantially all of a propulsion force behind the propulsion block and to evenly distribute the propulsion force to the projectile;

wherein the inhibiting substance is dispersed into a cloud upon impact of the projectile with a target; and

wherein the propulsion block comprises a plate closing a first end of the propulsion block and configured to be positioned proximate the projectile, and a plurality of rings separated

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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Claim 4, column 29, lines 37 and 45, delete "pat;" and insert --part;--.

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